WALKED IN UPON THEIR BLOODY WORK.

An Unsuspected Witness Takes the Stand in the Lalor Murder Case.

Mrs. Heuther Says Her Early Call Interrupted the Butchery of William.

WAS STRUCK, BUT NOT MUTILATED.

Nearly Paralyzed with Fear, She Left the House Without Giving an Alarm. The Misfortunes of the Lalor Family.

William Laler was found murdered and shockingly mutilated on the morning of January 2 last his home, No. 400 Jackson avenue, Long Island Ciry. His mother, Mary Lalor, gave the first alarm. Several days afterward she was arrested and accused of the crime. Her son-in-law, Forstel, was subsequently arrested, together with John Fleischmaer, who had lived with William Laior. Forstel was discharged from custody last week. Mrs. Laior and Fleischauer are

way down between the window upBID NOT THINK OF MURDER.

Town a receiving food from outside. It is beleved prisoners will care more about these
purpless than the harsher methods that
have proved ineffective. DID NOT THINK OF MURDER. been put in that condition as a result of New Year's row, or that he had tried In consequence of the report made by



that all was still.

walted a minute or so longer and them ked again. There was a hollower it than usual in the knock, and I was ming to feel very much afraid. It can all the season and again, and shally turned the same and opened the door. It is to be do, opposite the door lay William. There was a cut in his forebetween the eyes. His upper in was to anywhere. His neek and breast were and his arms were lying across his and the shade of the windows were pulled down, the shade of the window facing on avenue had been torn from tistings, and the pole had caught when

Somehow, I didn't quite realize at the me that William was dead. I thought that he was only dazed and that he had in Flatbush Laudanum Was Sold with imperfect Labelling.

was lucky for me that it never even Acting Captain Knipe, of the Twenty-sixth off was facty for me that it never even aftered my mind that he might be dead, don't know what I should have done had hat thought occurred to me. As it was, I losed the door gently, and walked out of the house, making as little noise as pos-

five years of age, and lived on the first floor of the house over a grocery store, with his wife and two small children.

Dr. Ashley Weber, of North Sixth street, was called in by the family at 3:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon and found Rogers lying on the floor of his bedroom in an unconscious condition. He made an examination of the man, and found a suspicious looking bruise at the base of the skull. He concluded to report the matter to the police of the Fifth Precinct, and subsequently told Captain Short that Rogers had received a blow upon the head with some blunt instrument.

THOUGHY HE'D BEEN SANDRAGGED

The police of the Fifth Precinct, Brooklyn, were sorely puzzled yesterday when the sudden and mysterious death of Samuel Rogers, which occurred at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at his residence, No. 615 Driggs avenue, was reported to them. The question of what Edward Lauterbach's Rogers was a journeyman plumber, thirty-lived group of the borse overs of age, and lived on the first floor of the house overs overs aronave and a summer of office to Wurster was one of the most popular men in his party.

"U believe that talk about Mr. Wurster's chances for Mayor of Greater New York is premature," he said, "but I think very highly of the Mayor and I am certain that he would make an excellent candidate. If he should seek the office he would receive my hearty support."

Rev. Dr. J. H. Gunning, former paster of the Bedford Baptist Church, whose wife is suing him for a limited divorce, was in the witness chair in the Supreme Court, in Brooklyn, from 1 o'clock vester-The police of the Fifth Precinct, Brook- Politicians in this city yesterday were

LIQUOR, NOT A SAN DBAG, MR. WURSTER'S CHANCES
The Former Is Believed to Have
Contributed to Samuel
Rogers's Death.

A Suspicious Bruise on His Head Led the Brooklyn Police to Suspect an Assault.

He Was Called The Black Sheep.

After the Police Had Looked into His Life's History They Concluded That Love for Drink Had Caused His End.

The rolls of the San DBAG, MR. WURSTER'S CHANCES of School over this dity over this city of Churches, Her Thinks, Are Well Pleased with Their Mayor and Would Not Hesitate to Support Him.

For Chief Magstrate of Greater New York and over this city of Greater New York is being discussed all over this city of Greater New York is the coming Mayor of the New York is the coming Mayor of Greater New York is the coming Mayor of the New York is the coming

Jesse Johnson is a Bepublican lawyer, who was formerly United States District-Attorney. He is one of the most popular men in his party.

They Had Smashed Deery's Hat and He day afternoon until 5 o'clock. He told the whole story of his life with Mrs. Gun-Had a Revolver.

Twenty-third Regiment and their guests,



men of the Seventh, were leaving the Johnston building at Fulton and Nevins streets, Brooklyn, where the crack New Yorkers had been entertained at dinner, J. C. Deery's hat was knocked off. A few minutes later when it was returned to him it looked more like an accordeon than a silk hat. A dózen men ran toward him eager to resent his epithets. Deery backed into a corner, drew a revolver and levelled it at "I'll shoot the first man who touches

me!" he cried.

The guardsmen fied like deer and destroyed a door in their haste.

Deery was finally pacified, but it required a long time, as he held the revolver resolutely. No charges were made against him and he went home with Lieutenant Hamil-

MUSIC RIDE IN BROOKLYN. Unique Entertainment Given by Members

The Bedford Riding Club, of Brooklyn, had its Winter music ride last night. The large academy was filled with an enthusisstic crowd of members and their friends. The different manoeuves were under the direction of Adolf Busch. The figures included those that are generally seen at a large dance, the horses acting their parts well. The different horses were put through all the high school figures, grand passage, walk, trot and gallop, high school march and Spanish trot.

A general music ride concluded the evening's entertainment. The entire club took part in this event.

A mong the spectators included many members of the "smart set" from the Heights, Park Stope and the Bedford sections of this city.

Among those who participated in the music ride were the following men and women: James W. Lingard, F. D. Cramer, J. B. Roach, E. F. Monaham, L. E. Rosse, Dr. Thomas A. York, W. H. Hoschke, E. Freel, F. B. Johnson, G. Tompkins, A. Mander and the Misses L. F. Lingard, F. Schultz and H. M. Oldener.

Among those in the galleries were: George Kinkels, J. H. Shults, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Robinson, Quigley, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Robinson, Quigley, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hongland Palmer, Cartton Joura, Abraham Denton, George C. Freedman, Miss A. Freedman, Frank E. Burtman, John Ryan, Frank E. Burtman, John Ryan, Franke E. Burtma had its Winter music ride last night. The

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Supper was served after the ride.

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HIS LIFE THREATENED.

Doctor's Bed-Testimony Given

Early yesterday morning as men of the Carly yesterday morning as men of the Carly with great frankness.

Just before the adjournment his counsel, Almet F. Jenks, asked him solemnly if he had ever struck Mrs. Gunning. He answered, "As I hope to meet my God"—but was cut off at this point. Then he answered: "I never did. I never raised my hand to her. I supplied her with every care, and luxuries beyond my means."

Dr. Gunning said his wife compelled him to bring his daughter from school to Brocklyn, and then forced the girl to shorten



Dr. Gunning and His Wife. The Brooklyn preacher in answering Mrs. Gunning's charges said she had made his life a burden, and had threatened to stab him.

her dress so that she might not be so fond of society. Among the other charges he made were these:

"Mrs. Gunning tore our marriage certificate.

"She hid a silver service in the chimney and allowed me to think it had been stolen.

"She sadmitted having hidden my daughter's medicine and destroyed an atomizer, and then got the medicine from the cellar. She said she did these things to show me that she had some voice in family affairs."

TRIED TO MAKE HIM MIND.

"Another time she punched me as she

of the Bedford Club.

The Bedford Riding Club, of Brooklyn, Sald to make me mind her."

The witness declared that his wife had

Collapse of a Wooden Bridge. The bridge at Stone's Causeway, near Flushing, L. I., has collapsed, owing to the fact that one of the earth approaches

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